

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Carlo Amalfitano

**Application No.:** 09/778,478

**Confirmation No.:** 4704

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For: GRADE OF SERVICE AND FAIRNESS  
POLICY FOR BANDWIDTH RESERVATION  
SYSTEM

Group: 2619

Examiner: Saba Tsegaye

Our File: TAN-2-1473.01.US

Date: July 1, 2008

**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment (via EFS)  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Reply is being timely filed in response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2008.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: